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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: **Ranatunge et al**

Application No: **10/608,333**

Group Art Unit: **1626**

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Examiner: **T.A. Solola**

For: **Oxime and/or Hydrazone containing Nitrosated and/or Nitrosylated
Cyclooxygenase-2 Inhibitors, Compositions and Methods of Uses**

Attorney Docket No: **102258.153 US1**

Commissioner of Patents
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RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

This Response is submitted in reply to the Office Action dated October 19, 2005, for which a response is due on or before January 19, 2006.

No fees are due at this time; however, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any necessary fees or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 08-0219 to maintain the pendency of the present application.

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